KENILWORTH PARK LANDFILL SITE UPDATED ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD FILE FACT SHEET

March 2013

An Administrative Record is the formal collection of documents that form the basis for selection of a particular response action at a contaminated site that will be cleaned up using the authority of the federal Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) (also known as Superfund). The Kenilworth Park Landfill Site is within Kenilworth Park and Aquatic Gardens, which is part of the Anacostia Park unit of National Capital Parks-East (NACE), in Washington, D.C. The Site is a former landfill operated by the District of Columbia. For site investigation purposes, the Site was geographically divided by the Watts Branch into Kenilworth Park Landfill South (KPS) and Kenilworth Park Landfill North (KPN). The Site also has been divided into two operable units (OUs): OU1 comprises surface and subsurface soils, including the waste material disposed of within the landfill; OU2 is the shallow groundwater underlying OU1. The Site is located on the east bank of the Anacostia River, south of the Kenilworth Aquatic Gardens, and north of the Potomac Electric Power Company (PEPCO) Benning Road electric power generation plant.

In the course of conducting environmental investigations at the Site, the National Park Service (NPS) established an Administrative Record File for the Site and has made a copy available for public review near the Site. The National Capital Parks-East Headquarters (Park Headquarters), located at 1900 Anacostia Avenue, SE, Washington, District of Columbia, 20020, is serving as the local repository for the Site Administrative Record File. A second copy of the Site Administrative Record File is available for review at the National Park Service offices at 1050 Walnut Street, Suite 220, Boulder, Colorado, 80302. By providing the public with greater access to these records, it is our hope that the public will be better equipped to comment constructively on Site activities and to understand the issues relating to the selection of the response action at the Site. The Administrative Record File will be updated periodically as the NPS reviews options and plans the response action for the Site.

The Site Administrative Record File located at the Park Headquarters will be available for public review during normal business hours, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., except for federal holidays. The Administrative Record File will be treated as a non-circulating reference document. This will allow the public greater access to the volumes and also minimize the risk of loss or damage. Individuals may photocopy any documents contained in the Administrative Record File according to the photocopying procedures at the Park Headquarters. The Site Administrative Record File and indices are also available electronically on DVDs, and certain key Site documents are available on the Park website at: www.nps.gov/nace/parkmgmt/kpls.htm

The Site Administrative Record File located in Boulder, Colorado, will be available for public review between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, except for federal holidays.

Should any documents in the Site Administrative Record File become damaged or lost during use, the Park should contact Shawn P. Mulligan for replacements. Documents will be added to the Administrative Record File as the Site work progresses. NPS periodically will send such

supplemental documents and indices directly to the Park Headquarters. These supplements will be placed with the initial Administrative Record File and be handled in the same manner.

NPS welcomes comments at any time on documents contained in the Site Administrative Record File. Please send any such comments to Emily Ferguson, National Capital Parks-East 1900 Anacostia Drive, SE, Washington, D.C. 20020; Shawn P. Mulligan, National Park Service, 1050 Walnut Street, Suite 220, Boulder, CO 80302, or electronically to:

kenilworthpark oul@nps.gov. Formal public comment periods will also be held at certain stages of the response action process. The public is encouraged to use these formal public comment periods to submit their comments.

For further information on the Site Administrative Record File, contact Shawn P. Mulligan, NPS, 303-415-9014.